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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to the examination of this application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 3, line 1 thereof, delete "or 2".

Please add the following new claim:

--4. A chip-type semiconductor light-emitting device according to claim 2, wherein said electrode includes an Au layer formed in an uppermost layer thereof.--

REMARKS

The amendment herein to the claims is made to delete the multiple dependency of claim 3. New claim 4 has been added and incorporates the subject matter set forth in claim 3, except that claim 4 depends from claim 2.

It is believed that the application is in proper form for examination and such action is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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